

REMARKS

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating that claims 6, 8, 9, 15, 17, 18, 25, 26 and 29 contain allowable subject matter if rewritten to include all the limitations of the claims from which they each originally depended. Independent claims 1, 10 and 19 have been amended to include the subject matter of claims 6, 15 and 29, respectively. Supporting subject matter for claim 29 previously presented in claim 27 has been incorporated into claim 19. Claims 6, 15 and 29 have been cancelled. In view of these amendments, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1-5, 7-14 and 16-28 are now in condition for allowance, and request allowance of said claims.

SUMMARY

Claims 1-5, 7-14 and 16-28 are currently pending. In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully submits that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application and allowance of the pending claims.

If the Examiner determines the prompt allowance of these claims could be facilitated by a telephone conference, the Examiner is invited to contact Sue Holloway at (408) 720-8300 x309.

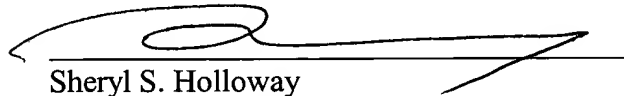
Deposit Account Authorization

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any charges that may be due. Furthermore, if an extension is required, then Applicant hereby requests such extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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